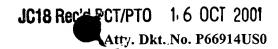


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Kay HOFMANN

Serial No.: 09/869,309

Filed: July 20, 2001

For: PROTEASE

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Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Examiner Unassigned

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention:

APPLICATION BRANCH

MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts mailed August 16, 2001, copy attached, attached hereto are:

X Declaration of the Inventors.

X Response to Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules.

X Amendment.

X Assignment Transmittal

	Small Entity	Large Entity	
Basic Filing Fee	\$370	\$740	=\$
Total Claims 20 =	= 0 \$9	\$18	= \$
Indep. Claims 3 =	0 \$42	\$ 84	= \$
X Surcharge - Late Fi	ling \$65	\$130	= \$130.00
X Other (Assignment Transmittal)			= \$ 40.00

TOTAL FILING FEES \$130.00

Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the Surcharge-Late filing fee and a check in the amount of \$40.00 is enclosed for the Assignment Transmittal. The Commissioner is hereby authorized as set forth in \$1.16 or \$1.17 to debit Deposit Account No. 06-1358 as needed in order to effect proper filing of the application.

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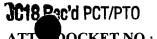
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Respectfully submitted,

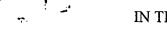
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH SEQUENCE RULES

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to Comply with sequence rules 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825, a copy of which is attached, hereto, applicant submits, herewith a substitute:

- (1) Computer Readable Form (CRF) of Sequence Listing; and
- (2) Substitute paper copy of Sequence Listing.

The content of the computer readable form and the paper copy are the same and, where applicable, include no new matter, as required by 37 CFR § 1.821(e), § 1.821(f), § 1.821(g), § 1.825(b), or 1.825(d).

Favorable action is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Bv

William E. Player

Registration No. 31,409

Date: October 16, 2001

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